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1. It is reported that Ghaleb Mirzu, Director General of Police and of the Sureté in Syria, is not interested in appointing a successor to the position of Chef de Bureau of the Public Sureté, which is now vacant as a result of the recent resignation of Muhammad Ali Ayyubi. The heads of the various branches now report directly to Mirzu.
2. In addition to the seven sections of the Syrian Sureté previously listed in the organizational chart [REDACTED] there is an eighth 25X1A section, the Research division, headed by Ziyad Maliki. This branch deals with all matters that "need control and verification".
3. The following people are apparently the latest appointees as chiefs of the other seven sections:

Political:	Sa'id Tamimi (who is also Inspector of Police)
Criminal Investigation:	No chief at present
Control of Foreigners:	Muzaffar Kan'an
Narcotics and Contraband:	Ibrahim Qabani
Hotels:	Hamid Salim
Frontier Posts:	Ghaleb Mirzu takes personal charge
Administration, etc.:	Isam Farhat

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